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PART V

Season Report for the Week ending with the Fourteenth Saturday in 1938

(*2nd April* 1938.)

	District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday, the 2nd April 1938								Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
		This week		Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1938							
						This year		Average of past 35 years		Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5			
	1	2		3		4		5		6		7	
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c	I.	c	I.	c		This week
BANGALORE	Bangalore (observatory)	0	00	0	14	00	31	01	05	—0	74		Seers
	Hoskote ...	0	00	0	23	00	00	00	83	—0	83		
	Dodballapur ...	0	00	0	18	00	00	01	02	—1	02	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00
	Nelamangala ...	0	00	0	11	00	48	00	56	—0	08		
	Kankanhalli ...	0	00	0	17	00	00	00	76	—0	76	Ragi	18·00
	Magadi ...	0	00	0	09	01	50	00	77	+0	73		
	Channapatna ...	0	00	0	14	00	07	00	71	—0	64	Kulthi	14·00
	Anekal ...	0	00	0	17	00	23	01	06	—0	83		
	Devanhalli ...	0	00	0	16	00	10	00	97	—0	87	Kadale	9·00
	Closepet ...	0	00	0	13	00	12	00	72	0	60		
	District average ...	0	00	0	15	00	28	00	84	—0	56		
KOLAR	Kolar ...	0	00	0	15	00	00	01	07	—1	07		
	Bowringpet ...	0	00	0	10	00	00	01	02	—1	02		
	Chintamani ...	0	00	0	13	01	14	00	78	+0	36	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00
	Mulbagal ...	0	00	0	13	00	00	01	24	—1	24		
	Sidlaghatta ...	0	00	0	16	00	31	00	92	—0	61	Ragi	18·00
	Chikballapur ...	0	00	0	17	00	00	01	22	—1	22		
	Bagepalli ...	0	00	0	13	00	00	00	61	—0	61	Kulthi	15·00
	Goribidnur ...	0	00	0	08	00	00	00	56	—0	56		
	Malur ...	0	00	0	26	00	00	01	03	—1	03	Kadale	8·00
	Srinivaspur ...	0	00	0	17	01	61	01	18	+0	43		
	Gudibanda ...	0	00	0	10	00	00	00	70	—0	70		
	District average ...	0	00	0	14	00	28	00	94	—0	66		
TUMKUR	Tumkur ...	0	00	0	10	00	00	00	72	—0	72		
	Madhugiri ...	0	00	0	08	00	00	00	76	—0	76		
	Chiknaikanhalli ...	0	00	0	19	00	20	00	83	—0	63	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00
	Sira ...	0	00	0	07	00	32	00	64	—0	32		
	Gubbi ...	0	00	0	13	00	00	00	54	—0	54	Ragi	16·00
	Tiptur ...	0	00	0	18	00	50	00	60	—0	10		
	Pavagada ...	0	08	0	11	00	11	00	71	—0	60	Kulthi	12·00
	Kunigal ...	0	00	0	09	00	53	00	41	+0	12		
	Koratagere ...	0	00	0	12	00	00	00	71	—0	71	Kadale	9·00
	Turuvekere ...	0	37	0	13	00	37	00	52	—0	15		

	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
	Seers	Seers
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	8·00
Ragi	19·00	20·00
Kulthi	14·00	15·00
Kadale	8·00	10·00
Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	6·00
Ragi	18·00	12·00
Kulthi	15·00	11·00
Kadale	8·00	7·00
Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	5·00
Ragi	18·00	11·00
Kulthi	12·00	12·00
Kadale	9·00	5·00

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	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly avarage
MYSORE												Seers	Seers	Seers
Mysore (observatory)	0	00	0	33	00	44	00	95	—0	51				
Chamarajnagar ...	0	00	0	22	00	35	00	85	—0	50				
Seringapatam ...	0	00	0	14	01	05	00	79	+0	26				
Hunsur ...	0	00	0	24	00	65	00	84	—0	19				
Krishnarajnagar ...	0	23	0	24	00	65	00	81	—0	16	Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	9·00	8·00
Heggaddevankote	1	31	0	27	03	52	01	19	+2	33				
Gundlupet ...	0	00	0	27	00	38	01	14	—0	76	Ragi	18·00	18·00	18·00
Nanjangud ...	0	00	0	33	00	00	01	07	—1	07				
T.-Narsipur ...	0	00	0	20	01	37	00	83	+0	54	Kulthi	14·00	15·00	14·00
Malvalli ...	0	00	0	12	00	23	00	61	—0	38				
Mandya ...	0	00	0	11	00	30	00	80	—0	50	Kadale	...	...	...
Krishnarajpete ...	0	00	0	26	00	42	00	68	—0	26				
Nagamangala ...	0	00	0	20	00	00	00	80	—0	80				
Periyapatna ...	0	20	0	37	01	52	01	15	+0	37				
Maddur ...	0	00	0	08	01	03	00	49	+0	54				
French-Rocks ...	0	00	0	26	00	65	00	89	—0	24				
District average ...	0	11	0	23	00	80	00	87	—0	07				
HASSAN														
Hassan (observatory)	1	27	0	23	01	48	00	77	+0	71				
Manjarabad (Sakleapur)	0	06	0	25	01	46	00	73	+0	73	Rice, 2nd sort.	10·00	10·00	9·50
Arkalgud ...	0	28	0	32	00	48	00	92	—0	44				
Belur ...	0	28	0	16	00	86	00	66	+0	20	Ragi	20·00	20·00	19·00
Channarayapatna ...	0	00	0	27	00	00	00	59	—0	59				
Arsikere ...	0	60	0	14	01	02	00	62	+0	40	Kulthi	16·00	16·00	15·00
Hole-Narsipur ...	0	75	0	23	02	00	00	78	+1	22				
Alur ...	0	00	0	27	01	30	00	68	+0	62	Kadale	8·00	8·00	8·00
District average ...	0	40	0	23	01	07	00	71	+0	36				
SHIMOGA														
Shimoga ...	0	00	0	24	01	74	00	65	+1	09				
Channagiri ...	0	00	0	07	01	13	00	39	+0	74				
Honnali ...	0	00	0	13	01	07	00	61	+0	46	Rice, 2nd sort.	10·00	10·00	6·23
Shikarpur ...	0	00	0	23	02	26	00	47	+1	79				
Scrab ...	0	42	0	20	01	69	00	50	+1	19	Ragi	22·00	22·00	13·89
Sagar ...	0	42	0	18	03	02	00	59	+2	43				
Nagar (Kallurkatte)...	0	45	0	25	00	48	00	52	—0	04	Kulthi	13·00	13·00	9·91
Tirthahalli ...	0	15	0	25	00	60	00	52	+0	08				
Kumsi ...	0	00	0	15	01	14	00	43	+0	71				
District average ...	0	16	0	19	01	46	00	52	+0	94				
KADUR														
Chikmagalur ...	0	80	0	21	01	51	00	89	+0	62				
Kadur ...	0	00	0	09	00	62	00	60	+0	02	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	8·00
Tarikere ...	0	00	0	16	00	32	00	51	—0	19				
Koppa ...	0	00	0	24	00	41	00	85	—0	44	Ragi	22·00	22·00	22·00
Mudgere ...	0	80	0	27	01	00	00	72	+0	28				
Narasimharajpura ...	0	00	0	29	02	34	00	59	+1	75	Kulthi	12·50	12·50	16·00
Sringeri ...	0	27	0	21	02	43	00	60	+1	83				
District average ...	0	27	0	21	01	23	00	68	+0	55	Kadale	10·00	10·00	9·00
CHITALDRUG														
Chitaldrug(observatory)	0	04	0	08	00	26	00	62	—0	36				
Challakere ...	0	10	0	11	00	60	00	58	+0	02	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	5·00
Hiriyur ...	0	00	0	16	00	60	00	49	+0	11				
Holalkere ...	0	14	0	11	01	59	00	54	+1	05	Ragi	22·00	22·00	12·00
Davangere ...	0	00	0	10	00	30	00	39	—0	09				
Molakalmuru ...	0	40	0	05	00	78	00	54	+0	24	Kulthi	12·00	12·00	9·00
Jagalur ...	0	00	0	05	00	55	00	65	—0	10				
Hosdurga ...	0	00	0	09	00	00	00	54	—0	54	Cholum	18·00	18·00	12·00
Harihar ...	0	00	0	12	00	88	00	43	+0	45				
District average ...	0	07	0	10	00	62	00	53	+0	09	Kadale	9·00	9·00	5·00
Provincial average ...	0	13	0	17	00	74	00	71	+0	03				

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of the season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy and sugarcane are in a fair condition.

Crops Harvested.—Sugarcane is being milled in parts of Channapatna, Magadi, Kankanhalli, Devanhalli, Anekal, Closepet, Nelamangala and Dodballapur Taluks.

Crops Sown.—Sugarcane is being sown in parts of Bangalore and Closepet Taluks.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

It is reported that "Blackquarter" is prevailing in parts of Kankanhalli and Nelamangala Taluks and the Veterinary Department is taking necessary action to check the spread of the disease.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane, Vaishakhi paddy, giddaragi, jola and bengalgram are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Sown.—Nil.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi, sugarcane, jola, chillies and turmeric.

10. Generally good except for the prevalence of Plague in some villages of Kasaba, Kywara, Murugamale Hoblis in Chintamani Taluk; Mudiyanur and Agra villages in Mulbagal Taluk; Bhaktharahalli, Malamachanahalli, Sadli, Gadiminchenahalli, Yerranagenahalli, Kannamangla, Chintudupi, K. Muthukadahalli, and Gudihalli in Sidlaghatta Taluk; Kudivathi, Angatta, Hiriyanahalli, Dibbur and Peresandra in Chikballapur Taluk; and in some parts of Malur Taluk; Kasaba, Ronoor and Yeldur Hoblies in Srinivaspur Taluk. It is also reported that Fever is prevailing in some villages in Mulbagal Taluk. Preventive measures are reported to have been adopted to check the spread of the disease.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district except for the prevalence of "Blackquarter" at Bommenahalli village in Chikballapur Taluk; Dodrancherlu, Puradahalli and Polampalli villages in Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Fodder and water are available except in parts of Sadli Hobli, Sidlaghatta Taluk, where it is being imported from Chintamani Taluk.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

TUMKUR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Sugarcane in Tumkur and Kunigal and paddy in Kunigal Taluk only,

Standing Crops.—Paddy in all the taluks except Tiptur; sugarcane in all the taluks except Pavagada; jola in Koratagere and Tumkur; bengalgram and greengram in Tumkur Taluk. Though the standing crops are said to be in a fair condition, they are reported to be in need of rain.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy in Tumkur and Kunigal Taluks; sugarcane in Tumkur, Sira, Kunigal, Koratagere and Turvekere Taluks; tobacco in Sira Taluk; jola in Koratagere; bengalgram in Turvekere.